

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>Inventors:</b>	William E. Stafford	<b>Docket:</b>	BP2525
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<b>Title:</b>	Interoperability of a Network Interface Protocol with an Internet Interface Protocol		

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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M/S Amendments  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 16, 2008, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejection to the claims under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 on the grounds that the application is in condition for allowance.